

There is no doubt that BPL will have a devastating effect on Amateur Radio. Data can not be transmitted over commercial power lines without it being radiated. This will make it imposible for licensed operations, such as Amateur Radio, to communicate effectively using the same bands of frequencies that BPL would be occupying on the power lines. BPL has already been documented by the ARRL to be a disaster to licensed radio communication in areas where it is currently being tested.